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TRADE IS HEAVIER

Favorable Symptoms More Numerous in Business Outlook.

Industrial Plants Are Showing Increased Activity.

THE BUILDING TRADES

Are Being Stimulated by Approach of Warm Weather.

Bank Clearings Show Considerable Gain Over Last Week.

New York, March 7.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Review of Trade says:

Favorable symptoms are more numerous in the commercial outlook, especially in respect to the growth of confidence. Jobbers note more pressure to replenish depleted stocks of staple merchandise, orders in many cases being for delivery next fall. The advancing season has also contributed to the better feeling by accelerating the distribution of spring goods and stimulating interest in the building trades. Industrial plants are more active, pig-iron production rising to the best weekly average in three months. Credits are still closely scanned, and mercantile collections are by no means satisfactory, yet payments are more prompt, and the volume of business is distinctly heavier. There is a question of permanence in the steady improvement in the steel and iron industry that would be lacking were recovery more sensational. Each week brings a few more mills and furnaces into the active list, while specifications of old contracts constantly call for a larger tonnage. New business appears in many departments, warmer weather being especially helpful in restoring proposed building operations that will call for much structural steel.

Bradstreet's
Distributive trade shows growth from week to week as the spring season approaches, and the tone of trade as a whole is more optimistic, but despite the large number of buyers in evidence at leading markets the character of the business done does not vary from that hitherto described. Conservative buying, largely staples, is the rule, and the uncertainty as to prices in many lines acts as a check to activity. This is especially manifest in some lines, as for instance cotton goods, where prices have been of late sharply reduced, without, however, evoking the interest expected. In few, if any cases are comparisons with a year ago satisfactory, and a number of measures of monthly trade and industrial movement point to shrinkage of 25 per cent or more.

Collections are still widely complained of, and in this direction reports are no better than the advice as to volume of business doing. Retail trade does not quicken greatly, although large centers show energetic efforts put forth to stimulate buying either of winter goods at concessions or of new spring season fabrics. The report received from the building industries are still conflicting. The iron and steel industry unquestionably has a better tone, and the output of pig-iron in February, a short month, seems to have slightly exceeded that of January, although falling far behind a year ago. Raw wool is moving only at a slow pace, and the output of pig-iron in February, a short month, seems to have slightly exceeded that of January, although falling far behind a year ago.

Business failures for the week ending March 5 number 287, against 284 last week, 172 in the like week of 1907.

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If on getting up in the morning you have such a bad, bilious breath that you can almost smell it yourself, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will get rid of it for you quickly.

If you have been smoking or chewing or have been eating onions or other odorous things, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will make your breath pure and sweet.

Charcoal is also the best laxative known. You can take a whole boxful and no harm will result. It is a wonderfully easy regulator.

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Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made from pure willow charcoal, and just a little honey is put in to make the palatable, but not too sweet.

They will work wonders in your stomach, and make you feel fine and fresh. Your blood and breath will be purified. You will feel clean inside.

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1907, 177 in 1906, 190 in 1905 and 200 in 1904.
Canadian failures for the week number 49, against 35 last week and 21 in the like week of 1907.
Wheat (including flour) exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending March 6, aggregated 2,953,908 bushels, against 4,244,832 last week, 2,251,508 this week last year, and 4,085,944 in 1902. For the 36 weeks of the fiscal year the exports are 159,094,166 bushels, against 123,824,955 in 1906-07, and 133,524,690 bushels in 1901-02.

Corn exports for the week are 1,481,487 bushels, against 2,481,392 last week and 2,631,573 in 1907. For the fiscal year to date the exports are 39,094,309 bushels, against 45,316,135 in 1906-07.

Bank Clearings.
Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending March 5 shows an aggregate of \$2,208,346,000 as against \$1,927,408,000 last week and \$2,453,329,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the cities:

Cities	Amount	Inc. Dec.
New York	\$1,235,000	10.8
Chicago	293,694,000	4.4
Boston	128,621,000	25.7
Philadelphia	124,739,000	35.4
St. Louis	60,094,000	8.6
Pittsburg	42,134,000	32.3
San Francisco	25,809,000	25.7
Kansas City	38,402,000	6.0
Baltimore	20,531,000	40.5
Indianapolis	19,129,000	12.7
Minneapolis	22,353,000	9.4
New Orleans	16,538,000	26.6
Cleveland	14,612,000	10.9
Detroit	13,315,000	10.9
Louisville	12,916,000	11.9
Los Angeles	9,555,000	32.2
Portland	10,853,000	25.7
Milwaukee	10,589,000	8.5
Seattle	7,341,000	20.2
St. Paul	12,194,000	10.1
Buffalo	7,392,000	11.5
Denver	7,173,000	10.4
Indianapolis	6,822,000	10.4
Fort Worth	7,490,000	6.3
St. Joseph	6,198,000	22.7
St. Louis	6,235,000	22.7
Lincoln, Neb.	1,536,000	32.9
Wichita	1,581,000	2.7
Topeka	1,667,000	5.0
Houston	74,700,000	28.4
Galveston	14,343,000	4.7

JOHNSON IN THE RACE.

Minnesota Governor Will Fight Bryan for the Nomination.

St. Paul, Minn., March 7.—The Democratic State committee of Minnesota after a bitter fight adopted a resolution endorsing Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota for the Democratic presidential nomination and recommended he be named by the national convention at Denver next July.

As the meeting of the committee was presided over by Frank A. Day, private secretary to the governor, and who voted for the Johnson resolution on every test and on the final ballot, the action of the committee is held by political leaders as placing the governor formally in the race for the Democratic presidential nomination. The Johnson resolution was carried by a vote of 68 to 23, after the Bryan adherents had forced two test votes, on both of which they were defeated. The Bryan men insisted on a roll call on every vote, and gave notice in their speeches on the original resolution that they would not be bound by the action of the state committee, but would make a fight throughout the state for a delegation from Minnesota to the national committee instructed to support the nomination of Mr. Bryan. Moreover, a meeting of Bryan adherents held at the Bryan hotel immediately after the adjournment of the state committee formed a Bryan organization which purposes to carry the contest against Johnson into every precinct of the state.

The state committee beside adopting the Johnson resolution, voted that the state convention to elect delegates to the national convention should be held in St. Paul on May 14. The meeting of the committee was the most largely attended in the history of the Democratic party in Minnesota, word having been sent to all members that a resolution endorsing Johnson would probably be offered. Of the 102 members 92 were present or were represented by proxy.

SO AUTO MEN MAY KNOW.

Salina Brethren Will Erect Guide Posts to Aid Touring Cars.

Salina, Kan., March 7.—Saline county was in the path of many touring parties which went from Chicago and Kansas City to Denver last summer, and it was a very common complaint of the tourists that they had difficulty in finding their way through the rural districts. There are more automobiles in this county than any other of its size in the state, and the owners of the machines have a natural sympathy for the bewildered tourists.

At a meeting of the Saline County Automobile club the proposition of guide posts throughout the county was discussed, and as 90 per cent of the members are in favor of the proposition there is no doubt but that by the opening of the tourist season Saline county will have a guide post at every cross road.

Washington Items.
Washington, March 7.—Minnie Wickham has been appointed postmistress at Berwick, Kan. Vice Levi Henry, resigned.

Senator Long of Kansas will get the seat occupied by the late Senator Proctor of Vermont in the senate chamber. Two years ago Long fled on that seat. It is located in the center of the Republican side.

The house committee on public lands has reported favorably on the bill authorizing the government to turn over 7,600 acres of public land in Kansas to the Manhattan agricultural college, the amount which the college was shy in the original distribution.

Senator Curtis has introduced a bill for a sub-treasury at Kansas City, Kan. His bill is a copy of the Scott bill introduced in the house a few days ago. Curtis says he will do everything in his power to get the sub-treasury for Kansas. He will work in conjunction with Congressmen Scott and other members of the Kansas delegation.

Vanderbilt's Own Fire Department.
Newport, R. I., March 7.—Alfred G. Vanderbilt has established a regular fire department on his estate, Oakland, near here. Hose reels, a chemical engine and a fire wagon are installed in a building erected for the purpose which has all the appliances of a regular engine house. Horses are provided for the apparatus and a regular force of firemen has been engaged.

Machen Is Released.
Wheeling, W. Va., March 7.—August W. Machen, the former official of the postoffice department at Washington, who has served a term of years in the West Virginia prison at Moundsville, was released at midnight.

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The following tells how one 22 grain Triangle of Diapiesin will digest 3000 grains of food and cure Stomach misery in five minutes.

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Pape's Diapiesin is not a secret concoction or patent medicine, as the complete formula is plainly printed on each case. It is a prescription built upon a thoroughly scientific principle, which will prove true to any stomach sufferer within five minutes after taking the first Triangle.



The Famous Heim Children, Juvenile Protean Artists, Who Will Appear Next Week at the Novelty.

KILLED HIS HORSES.

How Fire Engine Driver Saved Lives of Children.

New York, March 7.—In order to save a number of children from what appeared to be certain death, Patrick Mullin, driver of a fire engine, killed both his horses. Mullin was answering a fire alarm in Brooklyn, his horses on the run, when he approached a public building. In the street were a number of children just out of school. The horses were bearing down on them on the full run and it was impossible for the driver to check the animals. Suddenly Mullin saw a little girl in a red coat and coat who he believed to be his own daughter who attended the school. The driver threw his weight on one rein and swerved the horses upon the sidewalk and into an iron fence. Mullin was thrown off the engine and picked up unconscious but was not seriously injured and will recover.

Both horses were killed. The little girl in the red coat was not Mullin's daughter after all, but his action doubtless saved several lives.

WITH FORTUNE IN SIGHT.

Inventor of New Plan of Making Wrought Iron Dies Suddenly.

New York, March 7.—Gustaf Mauritz Westman, a chemist and mineralogist of note, died suddenly in New York last night. A company that had just been formed to manufacture wrought iron according to a new plan which he had invented was expected to have made him rich. Mr. Westman was born in Sweden 78 years ago and became famous through various inventions connected with the manufacture of iron and steel.

Durno Entertains.

Durno, the magician, amused and mystified a large audience at the auditorium last night.

His was the ninth entertainment on the pipe organ lyceum course and seemed to make a bigger hit with most of the crowd than many of the others which have gone before it. Durno has a great variety of tricks and feats of legerdemain which he accomplishes in a clever fashion. He has no new tricks from those which he showed here a year ago, but those he has are worth seeing over again. Particularly mystifying is his trunk trick with which he closes his performance. And he seemed a bit worried that Frank Foster, who assisted in this trick, had caught on to how it was done.

Several members of Durno's audience were the victims of lots of good fun which the professor of magic aimed at them, but none of his efforts made quite the hit with the crowd that did the finds he made in the hat of Dr. Menninger. If the physicians of Topeka carry along such bundles of stuff as was found in Dr. Menninger's hat, they are well prepared for any emergency. Among the many articles taken from it by Durno was a full set of baby's clothes. Durno was assisted by a trick violinist and an organist and the entertainment provided was a most enjoyable one.

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Man Who Played Cards to Keep Alive Is Rewarded.

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A JAIL KEELY CURE.

Mayor Ryan of Girard Gives Town Drunkards 90 Days to Sober Up.

Girard, Kan., March 7.—Mayor Ryan of this place has given it out that from now on he will make it warm for any man who indulges in intoxicating liquors to such an extent that it becomes necessary to arrest him and take him before the police judge. He will have to take a heavy dose of medicine that almost equals the Keely cure. All those who are arraigned in police court for drunkenness and do not have the money to pay their way out, will be confined in jail until they will be cured of the drink habit and if they have enough money to pay their fines they must have plenty of it, for the price will be big enough to equal the amount carried by any of the ordinary drinking men at any time.

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the jail for drunkenness at the present time for a period of seventy-two days and two young men were sentenced for ninety days and two more have served something like thirty days and yet their term is not half spent and two more were sentenced for a period of sixty days but this sentence is indeterminate and may last longer.

A Match for March.
Los Angeles, Cal., March 7.—Phil Brock of Cleveland and George Menzies of Chicago have been matched by Manager McCarey to battle here April 8.

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